Hello, I am writing to hopefully help persuade you to reject the NAB's petition 04-160. Satellite radio is the future of broadcasting in America, and what we are witnessing happening now is the same thing that occured in the 50s between TV and Radio and in the 70s between AM and FM stations. Attempts to slow progress and evolution of the market is always done by the large corporations who want the status quo to stay in place, but in America when bigger and better things come along, we all should be willing to move to the better if we so choose to do so. Local Traffic and Weather on a satellite service is just an evolution of the marketplace, and should be allowed to stay in place. Thanks,

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